**AP 7.3 World War I**

**World War I and its aftermath intensified ongoing debates about the nation’s role in the world and how best to achieve national security and pursue American interests.**

**A) After initial neutrality in World War I, the nation entered the conflict, departing from the U.S. foreign policy tradition of noninvolvement in European affairs, in response to Woodrow Wilson’s call for the defense of humanitarian and democratic principles.**

**U.S. Neutrality**

1. Define: Neutrality
2. Define: Isolationism
3. **Summarize**: What was the purpose of Woodrow Wilson’s neutrality policy?

**Document Analysis 1**

1. According to Wilson, what cannot be paid for?
2. According to Wilson, what country is at war with mankind?
3. What American ship was sunk by the Germans?
4. According to Wilson, does he still believe in Neutrality?

**Reasons for Entering World War I**

1. One of Germany's fiercest weapons in WWI was their dreaded \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
2. What were U-boats?
3. Unknown to passengers, the US had begun shipping \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to Great Britain aboard \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_cruise liners
4. How many US citizens died with the German sinking of the Lusitania?

**Unrestricted Submarine Warfare**

1. When did the Germans resume their attacks on merchant and commercial ships?
2. What was Unrestricted Submarine Warfare?
3. What country dropped out of World War I?

**The Zimmerman Telegram**

1. **Who sent a German telegram to Mexico?**
2. In his telegram, Zimmerman told embassy officials to ask \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to attack the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ if it declared war on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
3. In return, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ promised to help \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ win back land the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_had acquired as a result of the Mexican-American War.
4. **Summarize:** What was the significance of the Zimmerman Telegram?
5. **Identify:** List 3 reasons American entered World War I?
6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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**The increased demand for war production and labor during World War I and World War II and the economic difficulties of the 1930s led many Americans to migrate to urban centers in search of economic opportunities.**

**Document Analysis 2**

1. **What is the poster attempting to sell?**
2. **What is the likely purpose of the poster?**

**Domestic Impact of World War I**

**Mobilization**

1. **What major question faced the U.S. at the beginning of the war?**
2. **What did the Wilson administration create?**
3. **How did the Administration help pay for the war?**
4. **What did many Americans put their savings into?**

**Document Analysis 3**

1. Where is the traveler trying to move to?
2. Where is the traveler moving from?
3. What two regions was the traveler trying to move to?
4. What type of laws are the travelers fed up with?

**The Great Migration**

1. Why was there a lot of available jobs in the northern cities?
2. How did the available jobs in the northern cities impact African Americans in the South?
3. **Summarize**: What was the significance of the Great Migration?

**The Espionage and Sedition Acts**

1. Why did the progressive support U.S. involvement in World War I?
2. What type of laws did the U.S. government pass during World War I?
3. **Summarize**: What was the significance of the Espionage Act?
4. **Summarize:** What was the significance of Eugene Debs?

**Although the American Expeditionary Forces played a relatively limited role in combat, the U.S.’s entry helped to tip the balance of the conflict in favor of the Allies.**

**Fighting the War**

1. **When did American troops arrive in Europe?**
2. **What technologies made WWI fighting so deadly?**
3. **What happened to Russia?**

**American Expeditionary Force**

1. **What was the name of the U.S. forces in Europe?**
2. **What general led them?**
3. **What initial role did U.S. forces play?**
4. **What was the name of the last offensive?**
5. **What is an armistice?**
6. **How many died as a result of WWI?**

**Despite Wilson’s deep involvement in postwar negotiations, the U.S. Senate refused to ratify the Treaty of Versailles or join the League of Nations.**

**Wilson’s Fourteen Points**

1. **Summarize**: What was the significance of Woodrow Wilson’s Fourteen Points Plan?
2. **Summarize:** What was the purpose of the League of Nations?
3. List 4 items listed in Woodrow Wilson’s Fourteen Points Plan?

**Document Analysis 3**

1. According to the document, what counties were tying America’s hands behind their back?
2. What does it mean to have your hands tied behind your back?
3. Is this poster for or against the League of Nations?

**Wilson’s Fourteen Points (Continued)**

1. What was President Wilson particularly committed to?
2. How did Americans feel about the League of Nations?
3. Isolationists in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_believed that by joining the League of Nations, the United States would be obligated to get \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in future European conflicts.
4. Who was one of the most vocal critics of the League of Nations?
5. **Summarize:** How did the Senate react to Wilson’s Fourteen Points Plan?

**After the War**

1. What problems did women and African-Americans face after the war?
2. How did this dissatisfaction manifest itself?
3. What was the cause of the Red Scare?
4. What was the Red Scare?
5. What were the Palmer Raids?